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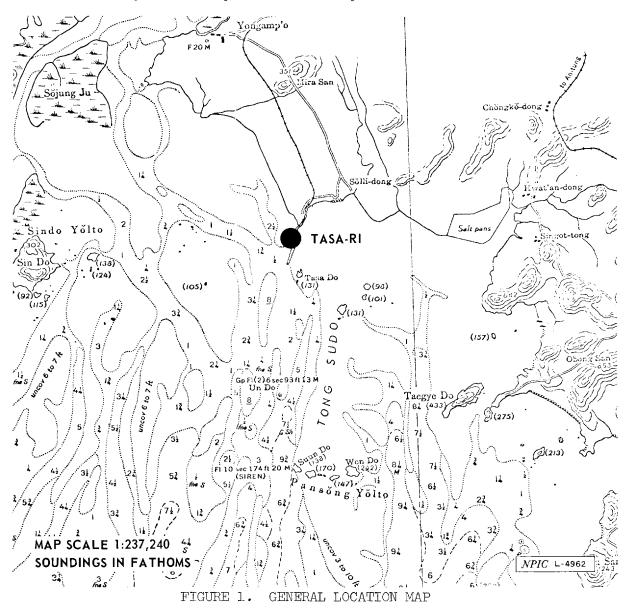
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INTRODUCTION

This report is one of a continuing series by NPIC on North Korean port and naval installations. Tasa-ri is an insignificant port facility capable of accommodating, at best, small coastal cargo vessels. Hinterland access is provided by both rail and road, however, Tasa-ri is somewhat removed from any urban complex which it may be intended to serve.



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7.3 nm south of Yongampo-ri.

These port facilities are located adjacent to a small, agriculturally oriented village and are capable of handling only very limited numbers of small coastal cargo vessels.

Facilities include 1 small marginal wharf, a small boat repair facility with a small graving dock and 4 support buildings, and 1 administration/support building.

The estuary of the Yalu river is obstructed by islands, sandbanks, and shoal patches. The approach channel has depths of 12 to 20 ft.

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FIGURE 2. TASA-RI PORT FACILITIES



FIGURE 3. AREA PHOTOGRAPH OF TASA-RI PORT FACILITIES

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